

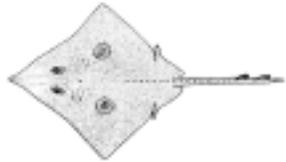
Groundfish means species managed by the Pacific Coast Groundfish Plan (federal), as defined in Amendment 11, October 1998, specifically:

SHARKS:



leopard shark, *Triakis semifasciata*
soupfin shark, *Galeorhinus zyopterus*
spiny dogfish, *Squalus acanthias*

SKATES:



big skate, *Raja binoculata*
California skate, *R. inornata*
longnose skate, *R. rhina*

RATFISH:



ratfish, *Hydrolagus collicie*

MORIDS:



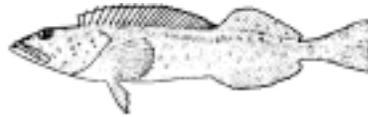
finescale codling, *Antimora microlepis*

GRENADIERS:



Pacific rattail, *Coryphaenoides acrolepis*

ROUNDFISH:



cabezon, *Scorpaenichthys marmoratus*
kelp greenling, *Hexagrammos decagrammus*
lingcod, *Ophiodon elongatus*
Pacific cod, *Gadus macrocephalus*
Pacific whiting, *Merluccius productus*
sablefish, *Anoplopoma fimbria*

ROCKFISH COMPLEX:

All genera and species of the family Scorpaenidae that occur off Washington, Oregon, and California are included, even if not listed below. The Scorpaenidae genera are *Sebastes* (the rockfish), *Scorpaena*, *Scorpaenodes* (the scorpionfish), and *Sebastolobus* (the thornyheads).

Rockfish:



Nearshore
black rockfish, *S. melanops*
black and yellow rockfish, *S. chrysomelas*
blue rockfish, *S. mystinus*

brown rockfish, *S. auriculatus*
calico rockfish, *S. dalli*
China rockfish, *S. nebulosus*
copper rockfish, *S. caurinus*
gopher rockfish, *S. carnatus*
grass rockfish, *S. rastrelliger*
kelp rockfish, *S. atrovirens*
olive rockfish, *S. serranoides*
quillback rockfish, *S. maliger*
treefish, *S. serriceps*

Shelf

bocaccio, *S. paucispinis*
bronzespotted rockfish, *S. gilli*
canary rockfish, *S. pinniger*
chilipepper, *S. goodei*
cowcod, *S. levis*
dusky rockfish, *S. ciliatus*
flag rockfish, *S. rubrivinctus*
greenblotched rockfish, *S. rosenblatti*
greenspotted rockfish, *S. chlorostictus*
greenstriped rockfish, *S. elongatus*
harlequin rockfish, *S. variegatus*
honeycomb rockfish, *S. umbrosus*
Mexican rockfish, *S. macdonaldi*
pink rockfish, *S. eos*
redstripe rockfish, *S. proriger*
rosethorn rockfish, *S. helvomaculatus*
rosy rockfish, *S. rosaceus*
shortbelly rockfish, *S. jordani*
silvergray rockfish, *S. brevispinis*
speckled rockfish, *S. ovalis*
squarespot rockfish, *S. hopkinsi*
starry rockfish, *S. constellatus*
stripetail rockfish, *S. saxicola*
tiger rockfish, *S. nigrocinctus*
vermilion rockfish, *S. miniatus*
widow rockfish, *S. entomelas*
yelloweye rockfish, *S. ruberrimus*
yellowtail rockfish, *S. flavidus*

Slope

aurora rockfish, *Sebastes aurora*
bank rockfish, *S. rufus*
blackgill rockfish, *S. melanostomus*
darkblotched rockfish, *S. crameri*
Pacific ocean perch, *S. alutus*
redbanded rockfish, *S. babcocki*
rougheye rockfish, *S. aleutianus*
sharpchin rockfish, *S. zacentrus*
shortraker rockfish, *S. borealis*
splitnose rockfish, *S. diploproa*
yellowmouth rockfish, *S. reedi*

Scorpionfish:



California scorpionfish, *Scorpaena guttata*
(also part of the Nearshore Rockfish Complex)

Thornyheads:



longspine thornyhead, *Sebastolobus altivelis*
shortspine thornyhead, *Sebastolobus alascanus*

FLATFISH:

arrowtooth flounder (arrowtooth turbot),
Atheresthes stomias
butter sole, *Isopsetta isolepis*
curlfin sole, *Pleuronichthys decurrens*
Dover sole, *Microstomus pacificus*
English sole, *Parophrys vetulus*



flathead sole, *Hippoglossoides elassodon*
Pacific sanddab, *Citharichthys sordidus*
petrale sole, *Eopsetta jordani*
rex sole, *Glyptocephalus zachirus*
rock sole, *Lepidopsetta bilineata*
sand sole, *Psettichthys melanostictus*
starry flounder, *Platichthys stellatus*

Pacific halibut (*Hippoglossus stenolepis*) is managed by the International Pacific Halibut Commission (IPHC). The Department supports all rules and regulations adopted by the IPHC.

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List of Federally Managed Groundfish Species

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